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Applicant

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: STENCIL PRINTING MACHINE AND STENCIL SHEET TRANSFER

METHOD OF THE SAME

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RESPONSE

Sir:

In response to the restriction requirement of July 10, 2004, the applicant elects group II, claims 4 and 5, drawn to a stencil sheet transfer method. Please examine the application.

> Respectfully submitted, HAUPTMAN KANESAKA & BERNER PATENT AGENTS, LLP

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